

5     A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR AN EXTENSIBLE CLIENT SPECIFIC  
          CALENDAR APPLICATION IN A PORTAL SERVER

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

10     A method for providing extensible client calendar functions to a plurality  
of clients via the Internet. The method includes a portal server receiving a  
request for calendar functions from a client. In response to the request, a Java  
server page corresponding to the request is accessed. A plurality of tags  
contained within the Java server page are then accessed. The Java server  
page is subsequently processed using the tags, wherein the tags provide access  
15     to a calendar server configured for providing the calendar functions. Calendar  
functions include, for example, appointments, work scheduling, reminders, and  
the like. The resulting processed Java server page is then transmitted back to  
the client. When requests from the client received, the Java server page  
corresponding to the request can be retrieved from a set of compiled Java  
20     server page classes. Extended calendar functions can be provided by accessing  
a plurality of extended tags contained within the Java server page, wherein the  
calendar functions are extended by adding the extended tags corresponding to  
new calendar functionality of the calendar server.